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# **Recent Crime Summary**

October 30, 2020

\*\*Note: additional incidents may have occurred, and the reports have not yet been received\*\*

\*\*Notable arrests for crime trends will be provided via a press release\*\*

# Thefts From Vehicles Summary: 10/18/20 to 10/24/20

MCP urges all residents to take a role in preventing this type of crime by removing valuables from vehicles and locking all doors.

#### 1<sup>st</sup> District

#### A2 Beat:

• A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 12000 block of Parklawn Drive at approximately 11:00 p.m. on 10/16. No force; property was taken.

# No suspect(s) information available

# B1 Beat:

• A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 13800 block of Lambertina Place between approximately 4:00 p.m. on 10/18 and 7:45 a.m. on 10/19. No force; property was taken.

### No suspect(s) information available

## 2<sup>nd</sup> District

#### D2 Beat:

• A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 4800 block of Wellington Drive between approximately 9:00 p.m. on 10/14 and 6:00 p.m. on 10/17. Force; a vehicle part was taken.

#### No suspect(s) information available

#### D3 Beat:

• An **attempted theft from vehicle** occurred in the 10400 block of Parkwood Drive between approximately 5:00 p.m. on 10/18 and 11:00 a.m. on 10/19.

#### No suspect(s) information available

#### D4 Beat:

Two thefts from vehicles occurred between 10/19 and 10/23. One theft occurred in the 10900 block of Schuylkill Road and one theft occurred in the 10400 block of Grosvenor Place. Force was reported in one event; vehicle parts were taken.

#### E1 Beat:

 Multiple thefts from vehicles occurred between 10/15 and 10/23. Affected streets included Hunt Avenue, Warwick Place, Chevy Chase Drive, Essex Avenue, River Road, and MacArthur Boulevard. Force was reported in three events; money, property, and vehicle parts were taken.

#### No suspect(s) information available

#### E2 Beat:

• Two **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 10/08 and 10/20. One theft occurred in the unit block of Pooks Hill Road and one theft occurred in the 7600 block of Bradley Boulevard. Force was reported in one event; money, property, and vehicle parts were taken.

# No suspect(s) information available

#### 3<sup>rd</sup> District

# G1 Beat:

Multiple thefts from vehicles occurred during this reporting period. Affected streets included 16<sup>th</sup>
Street, Piney Branch Road, Eastern Avenue, Gist Avenue, Wessex Road, Colesville Road. Force
was reported in two events; money, property, and vehicle parts were taken.

## No suspect(s) information available

# G2 Beat:

• A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 1800 block of Brisbane Street between approximately 9:00 a.m. on 10/13 and 9:00 a.m. on 10/20. No force; money was taken.

# No suspect(s) information available

#### H1 Beat:

 Three thefts from vehicles occurred during this reporting period. Affected streets included Arliss Street, Piney Branch Road, and Osage Street. Force was reported in two events; money and property were taken.

#### No suspect(s) information available

#### H2 Beat:

Multiple thefts from vehicles occurred between 10/18 and 10/22. Affected streets included
Overlook Drive, Hampshire Green Lane, Mt. Pisgah Road, and Hedin Drive. Force was reported in
multiple events; property and vehicle parts were taken.

#### I1 Beat:

• Three **thefts from vehicles** occurred in the 11400-11500 blocks of Lockwood Drive between 10/17 and 10/21. Force was reported in two events; property and vehicle parts were taken.

#### No suspect(s) information available

#### 12 Beat:

 Two thefts from vehicles occurred between approximately 11:30 a.m. 10/18 and 5:00 p.m. on 10/19. One theft occurred in the 3900 block of Greencastle Road and one theft occurred in the 13700 block of Modrad Way. Force was reported in one event; money, property, and vehicle parts were taken.

# No suspect(s) information available

#### 4th District

#### J1 Beat:

• Three **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 10/14 and 10/20. Affected streets included Marigold Lane, Elm Grove Circle, and Teaberry Road. No force; money and property were taken.

### No suspect(s) information available

#### J2 Beat:

Two thefts from vehicles occurred between approximately 7:30 p.m. on 10/19 and 12:00 p.m. on 10/20. One theft occurred in the unit block of Dumfries Court and one theft occurred in the 16600 block of Georgia Avenue. No force; property was taken.

#### No suspect(s) information available

#### K1 Beat:

Multiple thefts from vehicles occurred between 10/15 and 10/22. Affected streets included
Dunsinane Terrace, Bel Pre Road, Georgia Avenue, Layhill Road, Postgate Terrace, and Hewitt
Avenue. Force was reported in multiple events; money, property, and vehicle parts were taken.

#### No suspect(s) information available

#### K2 Beat:

• Multiple **thefts from vehicles** occurred between 10/18 and 10/23. Affected streets included Matey Road, Holdridge Road, and Harrell Street. No force; money and property were taken.

#### L1 Beat:

 Three thefts from vehicles occurred between 10/18 and 10/21. Affected streets included Kendall Street, University Boulevard West, and Taber Street. Force was reported in two events; property and vehicle parts were taken.

# No suspect(s) information available

#### L2 Beat:

Two thefts from vehicles occurred between 10/21 and 10/23. One theft occurred in the 800 block
of Loxford Terrace and one theft occurred in the 11600 block of Newport Mill Road. Force was
reported in one event; property was taken.

# No suspect(s) information available

#### 5<sup>th</sup> District

# M1 Beat:

 Multiple thefts from vehicles occurred between 10/16 and 10/25. Affected streets included Observation Court, Brundidge Terrace, Boland Manor Drive, Scenery Drive, and Scottsbury Terrace. Force was reported in one event; money, property, and vehicle parts were taken.

# No suspect(s) information available

# N2 Beat:

• A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 18600 block of Mustard Seed Court between approximately 9:00 p.m. on 10/18 and 6:00 a.m. on 10/19. No force; money was taken.

#### No suspect(s) information available

#### N3 Beat:

• A **theft from vehicle** was discovered in the 22700 block of Clarksburg Road at approximately 5:48 p.m. on 10/22. Force; property was taken.

#### No suspect(s) information available

### 6th District

#### P1 Beat:

• Two **thefts from vehicles** occurred between approximately 8:00 p.m. on 10/19 and 7:00 a.m. on 10/20. One theft occurred in the 17000 block of King James Way and one theft occurred in the 17100 block of Downing Street. Force; vehicle parts were taken.

#### R1 Beat:

 Four thefts from vehicles occurred between 10/16 and 10/24. Affected streets included Feathertree Terrace, Lake Landing Road, Lost Knife Circle, and Horizon Run Road. Force was reported in three events; vehicle parts were taken.

# No suspect(s) information available

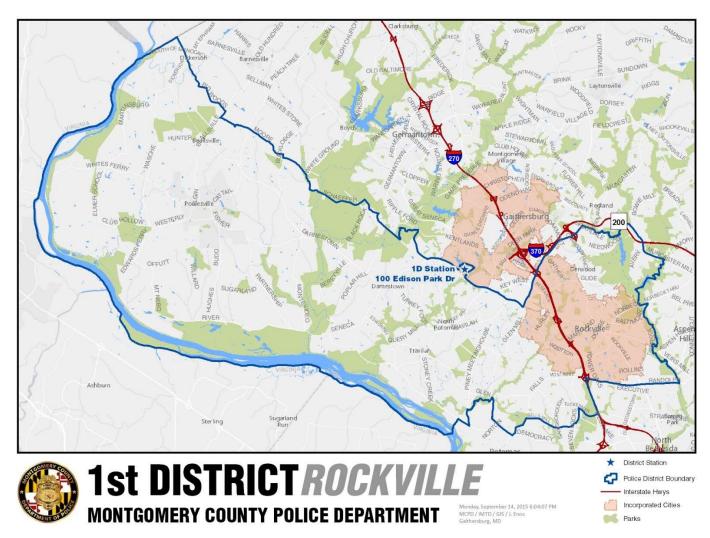
# R2 Beat:

• A **theft from vehicle** occurred in the 19000 block of Mills Choice Road between approximately 9:30 a.m. on 10/21 and 7:00 a.m. on 10/22. Force; a vehicle part was taken.

# No suspect(s) information available

#### R3 Beat:

 Two thefts from vehicles occurred between 10/20 and 10/23. One theft occurred in the 8200 block of Whispering Oaks Way and one theft occurred in the 19300 block of Woodfield Road. Force; vehicle parts were taken.



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Note: Thefts from vehicles listed in separate summary.

# A1 Beat:

• No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

# A2 Beat:

• No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

# A3 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

# A4 Beat:

• No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

# B1 Beat:

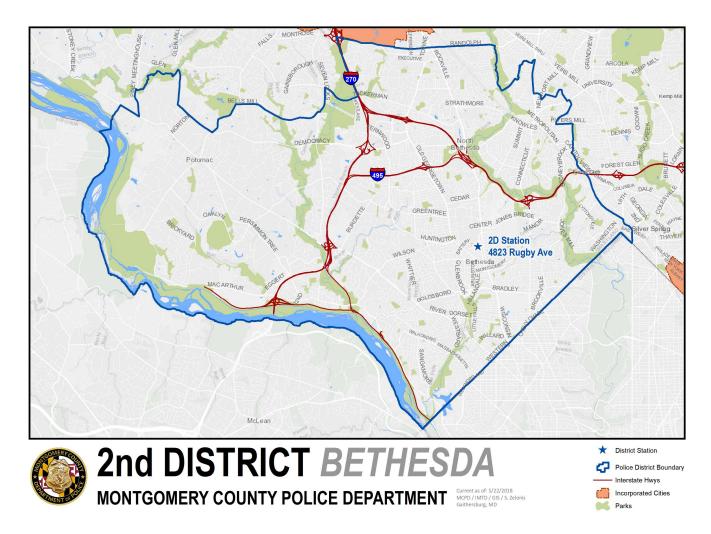
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# B2 Beat:

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# B3 Beat:

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# D1 Beat:

• An **armed robbery** occurred in the 1900 block of East West Highway in the early morning hours of 10/22. One suspect displayed a weapon. The suspects took money from the adult male victim.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: Male, no further description B/M, age unknown

• A **commercial burglary** occurred at the *Brookville Pharmacy* located at 7025 Brookville Road in the early morning hours of 10/22. Forced entry; medications were taken.

# Victim/Witness described suspects as: 2 males, no further description

# D2 Beat:

- Commercial burglaries occurred at the following locations:
  - At the *Exxon* gas station located at 7975 Old Georgetown Road in the early morning hours of 10/18. Forced entry; merchandise was taken. The suspects were arrested.

Arrested: Juvenile male, age 17; of Bethesda Juvenile male, age 17; of Bethesda

At *The North Face* located at 4848 Bethesda Avenue in the early morning hours of 10/20. Forced entry; merchandise was taken.

#### Victim/Witness described suspects as: 2 males, ages unknown

A residential garage burglary occurred in the 4500 block of Maple Avenue at approximately 4:00 p.m. on 10/20. No signs of forced entry, the garage door was reported to have been open; property was taken.

### Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age 20-30

#### D3 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

#### D4 Beat:

- Residential burglaries occurred in the following areas:
  - ➤ In the 11400 block of Hollowstone Drive between approximately 12:00 a.m. on 10/17 and 9:40 a.m. on 10/18. No signs of forced entry, a door was reported to have been left unlocked; property was taken.

# No suspect(s) information available

In the 11500 block of Monongahela Drive between approximately 9:00 p.m. on 10/17 and 6:00 p.m. on 10/18. No signs of forced entry; property was taken.

#### No suspect(s) information available

In the 10300 block of Grosvenor Place between approximately 2:00 p.m. on 10/20 and 5:01 p.m. on 10/22. Forced entry; property was taken.

• An **attempted strong-arm robbery** occurred in the 11400 block of Rockville Pike at approximately 7:15 a.m. on 10/22. The suspect attempted to take property from the adult male victim.

# Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age unknown

# E1 Beat:

• A **strong-arm robbery** occurred in the 4800 block of Park Avenue at approximately 11:50 p.m. on 10/19. The suspects took property from the adult male victim.

# Victim/Witness described suspects as: 2 males, no further description

#### E2 Beat:

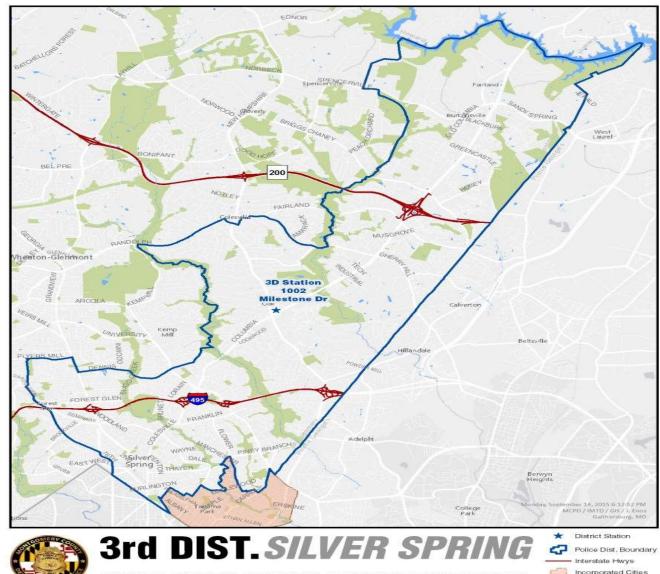
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# E3 Beat:

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# E4 Beat:

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#### G1 Beat:

• A **motorcycle theft** occurred in the 8700 block of Georgia Avenue between approximately 11:00 a.m. on 10/14 and 10:50 a.m. on 10/18.

# No suspect(s) information available

- Vehicle thefts occurred in the following area:
  - In the 800 block of Ellsworth Drive between approximately 8:15 a.m. and 8:26 a.m. on 10/21. Unknown entry; the vehicle was reported to have been left locked but running.

# No suspect(s) information available

In the 1200 block of East West Highway between approximately 1:15 p.m. and 1:56 p.m. on 10/22. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked and running.

#### No suspect(s) information available

In the 8500 block of Fenton Street at approximately 12:56 p.m. on 10/24. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked and running.

# Victim/Witness described suspects as: 2 B/Ms, ages unknown H/M, age unknown

In the 8200 block of Georgia Avenue between approximately 2:22 p.m. and 2:30 p.m. on 10/24. No force; the vehicle was reported to have been left unlocked with the key left inside.

#### No suspect(s) information available

 An aggravated assault occurred in the 8200 block of Georgia Avenue in the early morning hours of 10/18. The suspect displayed a weapon and assaulted the adult male victim.

#### Victim/Witness described suspect as: H/M, age unknown

- Commercial burglaries occurred at the following locations:
  - At *Denizens Brewing Co.* located at 1115 East West Highway at approximately 9:30 a.m. on 10/18. Forced entry; merchandise was taken.

#### Victim/Witness described suspect as: H/M, age unknown

At *Mama Lucia* located at 1302 East West Highway at approximately 9:40 a.m. on 10/18. No signs of forced entry, a door was reported to have been left unlocked; money and property were taken.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: H/M, age unknown H/M, age early 20s Male, no further description

 An attempted strong-arm robbery occurred in the 600 block of Thayer Avenue at approximately 11:30 p.m. on 10/19. The suspects assaulted the adult male victim and attempted to take his property.

# Victim/Witness described suspects as: Unknown # of H/Ms & B/Ms, ages unknown

• An **armed robbery** occurred in the 8300 block of Fenton Street at approximately 10:36 p.m. on 10/23. One suspect displayed a weapon. The suspects took money and property from the two adult male victims.

#### Victim/Witness described suspects as: 3 B/Ms, ages 20-22

#### G2 Beat:

• A **commercial burglary** occurred at the *Law Office of Luiz Simmons* located at 8613 Cedar Street between approximately 10:50 a.m. on 10/17 and 8:30 a.m. on 10/19. Forced entry; money and property were taken.

# Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M or H/M, age 40-50

# H1 Beat:

 An armed robbery occurred in the area of Piney Branch Road and Flower Avenue at approximately 11:40 p.m. on 10/19. The suspect displayed a weapon, assaulted the adult male victim, and took his money.

#### Victim/Witness described suspect as: H/M, age unknown

- **Vehicle thefts** occurred in the following areas:
  - ➤ In the 8200 block of Georgia Avenue between approximately 9:00 p.m. on 10/20 and 6:30 a.m. on 10/21. Unknown entry.

# No suspect(s) information available

In the 8800 block of Piney Branch Road between approximately 2:00 a.m. and 4:00 a.m. on 10/24. Unknown entry.

#### No suspect(s) information available

• An **aggravated assault** occurred in the area of University Boulevard East and Piney Branch Road in the early morning hours of 10/23. One suspect displayed a weapon.

#### Victim/Witness described suspect as: 2 H/Ms, ages unknown

#### H2 Beat:

- Vehicle thefts occurred in the following areas:
  - In the area of Hillwood Drive and Venetia Mill Circle between approximately 2:00 p.m. on 10/16 and 6:00 p.m. on 10/19. Unknown entry.

# No suspect(s) information available

➤ In the 11200 block of Oak Leaf Drive between approximately 2:00 p.m. on 10/23 and 12:00 p.m. on 10/24. No force; a window was reported to have been left open with a key left inside. The vehicle was recovered on 10/24.

# No suspect(s) information available

 A commercial burglary occurred at Starbucks located at 10155 New Hampshire Avenue just after midnight on 10/23. The suspect was arrested.

For more information, please visit: <a href="http://www.mymcpnews.com/2020/10/23/witness-observes-suspect-break-into-hillandale-starbucks-officers-respond-and-locate-suspect/">http://www.mymcpnews.com/2020/10/23/witness-observes-suspect-break-into-hillandale-starbucks-officers-respond-and-locate-suspect/</a>

# I1 Beat:

- Vehicle thefts occurred in the following areas:
  - ➤ Two vehicles were taken from the same residence in the 12300 block of Herrington Manor Drive between approximately 8:00 p.m. on 10/17 and 8:00 a.m. on 10/18. Unknown entry. Both vehicles were recovered on 10/18.

## No suspect(s) information available

In the 11700 block of Old Columbia Pike between approximately 11:00 p.m. on 10/17 and 9:00 a.m. on 10/19. Unknown entry.

#### No suspect(s) information available

• A **vehicle theft** and **theft from vehicle** occurred at the same residence in the unit block of Hunters Gate Court between approximately 7:00 p.m. on 10/20 and 8:00 a.m. on 10/21. No force; a spare key was taken from one vehicle and used to steal the other vehicle.

# No suspect(s) information available

• A **residential burglary** occurred in the 11200 block of Lockwood Drive between approximately 2:00 a.m. on 10/20 and 5:30 p.m. on 10/22. No signs of forced entry; property was taken.

• A **commercial armed robbery** occurred at the *Shell* gas station located at 11150 New Hampshire Avenue at approximately 3:45 a.m. on 10/23. The suspect was arrested.

For more information, please visit: <a href="http://www.mymcpnews.com/2020/10/23/suspect-arrested-for-armed-robbery-of-silver-spring-gas-station/">http://www.mymcpnews.com/2020/10/23/suspect-arrested-for-armed-robbery-of-silver-spring-gas-station/</a>

• An **attempted armed robbery** occurred in the area of Old Columbia Pike and Industrial Parkway at approximately 7:40 p.m. on 10/24. The suspect displayed a weapon and attempted to take property from the adult female victim.

### Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age unknown

#### 12 Beat:

• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 3900 block of Blackburn Lane between approximately 7:00 p.m. on 10/20 and 6:00 a.m. on 10/21. Unknown entry. The vehicle was recovered on 10/21.

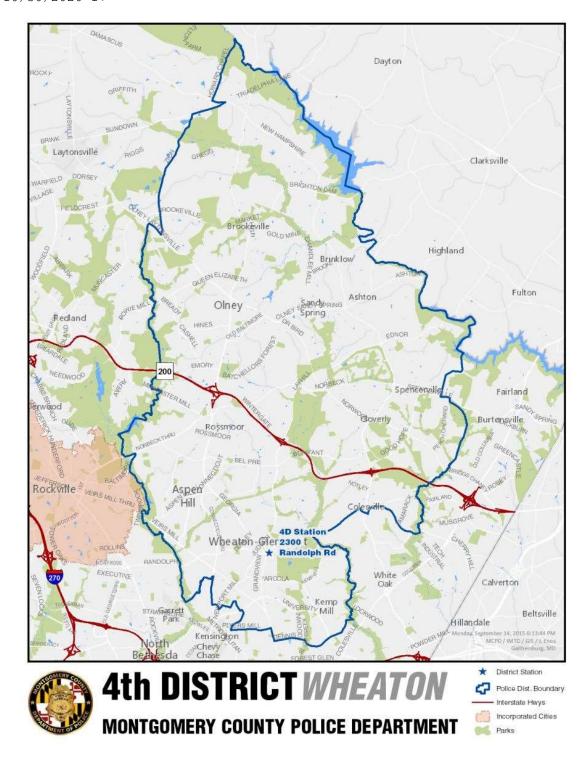
# No suspect(s) information available

• An **attempted vehicle theft** occurred in the 3600 block of Castle Terrace between approximately 9:00 p.m. on 10/22 and 7:15 a.m. on 10/23.

# No suspect(s) information available

 A suspect was arrested for possession of a handgun and drug offenses during a traffic stop at the intersection of Castle Boulevard and Briggs Chaney Road at approximately 12:15 a.m. on 10/23.

For more information, please visit: <a href="http://www.mymcpnews.com/2020/10/27/suspect-arrested-for-possession-of-handgun-and-drug-offenses-during-traffic-stop-in-fairland-area-of-silver-spring/">http://www.mymcpnews.com/2020/10/27/suspect-arrested-for-possession-of-handgun-and-drug-offenses-during-traffic-stop-in-fairland-area-of-silver-spring/</a>



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#### J1 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

#### J2 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

#### K1 Beat:

• A **residential burglary** occurred in the 3600 block of Edelmar Terrace between approximately 9:00 p.m. on 10/19 and 6:00 a.m. on 10/20. Forced entry; property was taken.

### No suspect(s) information available

#### K2 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

# L1 Beat:

• A **residential shed burglary** occurred in the 12200 block of Bluhill Road between approximately 1:00 p.m. on 10/19 and 4:30 p.m. on 10/21. No signs of forced entry; property was taken.

# No suspect(s) information available

 A strong-arm robbery occurred in the 12000 block of Claridge Road at approximately 11:10 p.m. on 10/19. The suspects assaulted the adult male victim and took his property.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: B/M, age 20-29
2 males, no further description

# L2 Beat:

• A **strong-arm robbery** occurred in the 11100 block of Veirs Mill Road at approximately 6:35 p.m. on 10/18. One suspect assaulted the juvenile male victim. The suspects took his property.

Victim/Witness described suspects as: 6 B/Ms, approximately age 16

 A commercial robbery occurred at CVS Pharmacy located at 11190 Veirs Mill Road at approximately 8:58 a.m. on 10/19. The suspect assaulted the two adult employees and stole merchandise.

# Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, age unknown

- Motorcycle thefts occurred in the following areas:
  - ➤ In the 10800 block of Amherst Avenue between approximately 7:00 p.m. on 10/20 and 3:00 a.m. on 10/21. Force. The motorcycle was recovered on 10/21.

# No suspect(s) information available

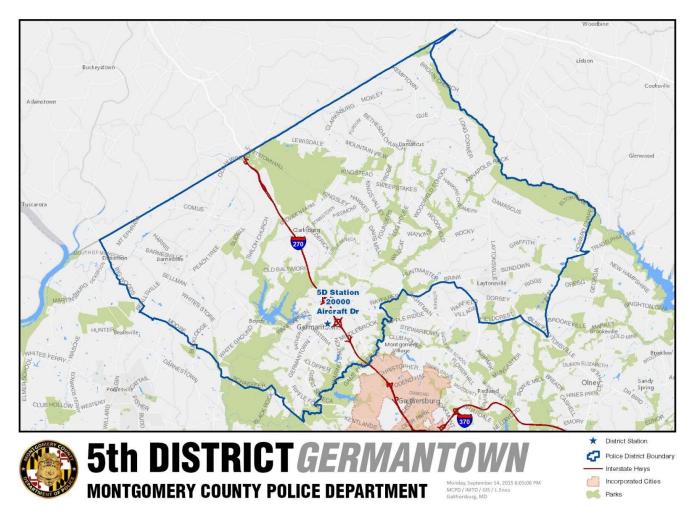
➤ In the 2900 block of Peregoy Drive between approximately 7:30 a.m. and 5:15 p.m. on 10/21.

#### No suspect(s) information available

 A residential burglary occurred in the 11200 block of Georgia Avenue at approximately 3:45 p.m. on 10/21. No signs of forced entry, a door was reported to have been left unlocked; property was taken.

# Victim/Witness described suspect as: B/M, mid to late 20s

• A **residential shed burglary** occurred in the 10400 block of Grandin Road between approximately 7:00 p.m. on 10/21 and 4:00 p.m. on 10/22. No signs of forced entry, the shed was reported to have been left unlocked; property was taken.



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#### M2 Beat:

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#### M3 Beat:

• A **commercial robbery** occurred at *ProCare Pharmacy* located at 23210 Stringtown Road at approximately 2:40 p.m. on 10/24. The suspects stole merchandise.

# Victim/Witness described suspects as: 2 B/Ms, early 20s

#### N1 Beat:

- Vehicle thefts occurred in the following areas:
  - ➤ In the 12900 block of Wisteria Drive between approximately 3:00 p.m. on 10/16 and 3:00 p.m. on 10/19. Force. The vehicle was recovered on 10/19.

#### No suspect(s) information available

➤ In the 13300 block of Demetrias Way between approximately 10:00 p.m. on 10/23 and 6:00 a.m. on 10/24. Unknown entry.

#### No suspect(s) information available

A commercial burglary occurred at Lancaster County Dutch Market located at 12613 Wisteria
Drive between approximately 3:00 p.m. on 10/17 and 11:47 a.m. on 10/18. Forced entry; property
was taken.

#### Victim/Witness described suspects as: 3 males, no further description

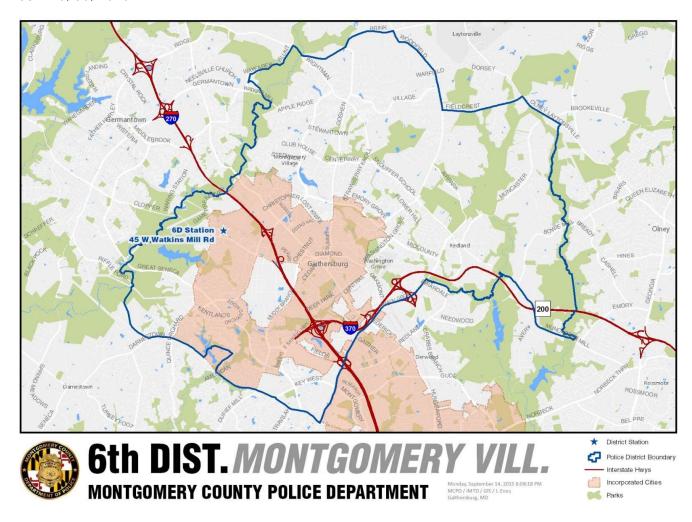
#### N2 Beat:

 A suspect was arrested for an attempted residential burglary in the 14300 block of Gate Dancer Lane and was charged with seven other burglaries.

For more information, please visit: <a href="http://www.mymcpnews.com/2020/10/29/officers-arrest-burglary-suspect-as-he-attempts-to-break-into-home-charged-with-seven-burglaries-in-boyds-2/">http://www.mymcpnews.com/2020/10/29/officers-arrest-burglary-suspect-as-he-attempts-to-break-into-home-charged-with-seven-burglaries-in-boyds-2/</a>

#### N3 Beat:

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# P1 Beat:

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#### P2 Beat:

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### P3 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

# R1 Beat:

• A **vehicle theft** occurred in the 18700 block of Montgomery Village Avenue between approximately 9:00 p.m. on 10/23 and 10:00 a.m. on 10/24. Unknown entry.

# No suspect(s) information available

#### R2 Beat:

A vehicle theft occurred in the 19300 block of Club House Road between approximately 10:00
a.m. and 1:00 p.m. on 10/18. Unknown entry; a key was reported to have been left inside the
vehicle.

# No suspect(s) information available

• An **aggravated assault** occurred in the 20100 block of Welbeck Terrace in the early morning hours of 10/20. One suspect displayed a weapon.

# Victim/Witness described suspects as: 2 males, no further description

#### R3 Beat:

No significant incidents occurred during this reporting period.

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